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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: John P. McKEARN et al

SERIAL NO: 09/857,873

TITLE: METHOD OF USING CYCLOOXYGENASE-2 INHIBITOR AND  
ONE OR MORE ANTINEOPLASTIC AGENTS AS A  
COMBINATION THERAPY IN THE TREATMENT OF NEOPLASIA

COMPLETION OF PCT/US99/30693 filed 22 December 1999

The Commissioner for Patents (DO/EO/US)  
Box PCT  
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS  
& SUBMITTAL OF COMBINED DECLARATION & POWER OF ATTORNEY

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the notice dated 19 July 2001 to file missing parts of application, Form PCT/DO/EO/905, a copy of which is attached.

Simultaneously herewith, applicant is filing a request for a one month extension, effectively extending the term for response from September 19, 2001 up to October 19, 2001.

Applicant submits herewith the Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney.

Enclosed is check in the amount of \$130 to cover the government fee for late filing of the Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney. Should any additional fee be deemed necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 12-0400.

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